

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 6799

Seishi KATO et al.

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Serial No. 10/088,859

Group Art Unit 1644

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Examiner Ronald B. Schwadron

A METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN

ANTIBODY BY GENE IMMUNIZATION

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RESPONSE TO SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Species Election Requirement dated May 5, 2008, the period for response having been extended for one month by the attached petition, Applicants hereby elect the species identified as Species b, claims 5 and 6, drawn to a method of intradermal immunization.

Favorable action on the merits is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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